

MPC intends to engage in electric power and energy transactions as a marketer and a broker. In transactions where MPC sells electric energy it proposes to make such sales on rates, terms, and conditions to be mutually agreed to with the purchasing party.

Comment date: December 3, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

31. Pacific Gas and Electric Company
[Docket No. FA93-12-001]

Take notice that on October 21, 1996, Pacific Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing its refund report in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: December 3, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**32. PECO Power Company,
Susquehanna Power Company**

[Docket Nos. FA95-37-001 and FA95-55-001]

Take notice that on October 11, 1996, PECO Power Company and Susquehanna Power Company tendered for filing refund reports in the above-referenced dockets.

Comment date: December 3, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

Standard Paragraph

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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[Project No. 11374-001, Iowa]

**Butler County Conservation Board;
Notice of Availability of Final
Environmental Assessment**

November 18, 1996.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and

the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission's) Regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47897), the Office of Hydropower Licensing has reviewed the application for exemption from licensing for the proposed Greene Milldam Hydroelectric Project, located on the Shell Rock River, Butler County, Iowa, and has prepared a Final Environmental Assessment (FEA) for the project. In the FEA, the Commission's staff has analyzed the potential environmental impacts of the existing project and has concluded that approval of the project, with appropriate mitigation measures, would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

Copies of the FEA are available for review in the Public Reference Branch, Room 2-A, of the Commission's offices at 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Project Nos. 1417 and 1835]

**Central Nebraska Public Power and
Irrigation District, Nebraska Public
Power District; Notice of Public
Briefing**

November 19, 1996.

The U.S. Department of the Interior has requested an opportunity to brief Commission staff on the contents of the draft biological opinion of the effects of the Platte River projects on threatened and endangered species in the project area. The Commission will hold a briefing for that purpose on December 4, 1996, starting at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room No. 3M-1, located on the 3rd Floor of the Commission headquarters at 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC.

The briefing will be recorded by a stenographer, and all briefing statements (oral and written) will become part of the Commission's public record of this proceeding. Anyone wishing to receive a copy of the transcripts of the briefing may contact Ann Riley & Associates by calling (202) 293-3950, or writing to 1612 K Street, NW., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20006.

Anyone wishing to comment in writing on the briefing must do so no later than January 3, 1997. Comments should be addressed to: Lois D. Cashell, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Reference should be clearly made to: the Kingsley Dam (Project No. 1417) and North Platte/Keystone Diversion Dam (Project No. 1835).

For further information, please contact Frankie Green at (202) 501-7704.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY**

[FRL-5655-1]

**Agency Information Collection
Activities: Proposed Collection;
Comment Request; Reinstatement of
an Existing ICR; Confidentiality Rules.
ICR #1662.01**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that EPA is planning to submit the following proposed and/or continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): Confidentiality Rules. ICR #1662.01 OMB #2020-0003, expires 1/31/97. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before January 24, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Office of General Counsel, Finance and Operations Division, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460, Mailstop 2377.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jonathan S. Baker, Assistant General Counsel, (202) 260-6542/(202)-260-0020 (fax)/ baker.jonathan@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Affected entities: Entities potentially affected by this action are those who submit to EPA documents claimed as confidential business information.

Title: CONFIDENTIALITY RULES. EPA ICR #1662.01 OMB Control #2020-0003, expires 1/31/97.

Abstract: EPA administers a great variety of statutes pertaining to the protection of the environment, (e.g., the Toxic Substances Control Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability